

August 15, 2019

Regional Freedom of Information Officer U.S. EPA, Region 1 (OARM01-6) 5 Post Office Square, Suite 100 Boston, MA 02109-3912 (617) 918-1102

Re: Freedom of Information Act Request

Dear Sir or Madam:

Pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA), 5 U.S.C. 552, I am requesting copies and/or access to records held at EPA's Region 1 office.

Records of interest include documents created, compiled, and submitted to the EPA under regulatory programs such as the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA), the Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA), Clean Air Act (CAA), the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA), and the Emergency Planning and Community Right-to-Know Act (EPCRA).

Specifically, I am requesting release of a number of specific documents and types of documents held at Region 1 concerning the operations of A. Harrison & Company at a site in North Providence, Rhode Island. Below, I have included information on the site occupant's name, address(es), any available facility ID numbers, and the types of documents requested. The following sections are arranged according to specific EPA regulatory programs.

TSCA Inventory Requested Documents

We understand that, under the chemical inventory provisions of the Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA), A. Harrison & Company at 35 Hurdis St., North Providence, RI, identified certain chemicals used at this site. We therefore request the following documents related to this facility produced as required by TSCA:

- 1986 Reporting Year Data
- 1990 Reporting Year Data

TSCA PCB Regulations

We understand that, under the PCB regulations adopted pursuant to section 6 of the Toxic Substances Control Act, that PCB waste materials may have been used or remediated at A. Harrison & Company at 35 Hurdis St., North Providence, RI. We therefore request the following documents related to PCBs at this installation:

• Documentation of any PCB related notifications, inspections, and enforcement actions involving this location or party.

TRI Requested Documents

We understand that A. Harrison & Company at 35 Hurdis St., North Providence, RI, was required to file an annual report with the EPA's Toxics Release Inventory (TRI) Program to document the release of certain chemicals.

We therefore request the annual report / submittal (also known as "Form R") filed by company for the 1987 reporting year.

AIR Requested Documents

We understand that A. Harrison & Company at 35 Hurdis St., North Providence, RI operated under the regulation of the Clean Air Act with the following Rhode Island facility ID: 7.

We therefore request the following documents related to this facility:

- Air permit registration and application documents
- Inspection files
- Correspondence for 1990 and earlier

Request Information

History Associates requests the release of the above materials. If this is not possible, we request information as to why, as we understand that these collections are publically accessible under statutory regulations.

History Associates agrees to pay all reasonable and standard processing fees authorized by 5 U.S.C. 552(a)(4)(A) and the applicable regulations up to \$250. Should the fees exceed this amount, please call or email me with an estimate of the total costs in order that specific expenditures beyond \$250 can be authorized.

Should you have any questions or concerns regarding this request, please contact me at (301) 279-9697 or via email at HBergen@historyassociates.com.

Sincerely,

Hilary Bergen